

**Mrs. Wilson Gives Proper Directions for Serving the Informal Dinner**

Table Should Be Set Very Carefully, So That Every Necessary Utensil Is in Its Own Correct Place

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THE serving of the important meal of the day has much to do with the real success of home life. I have named this service Home Service, to distinguish it from the semi or formal service.

The arrangement of the table is important, for no matter how well the food is prepared, a poor table arrangement will spoil the entire meal. Allow plenty of space between each cover. Overcrowding at the table has made many a lad soil the tablecloth by upsetting something. A small table or table set is necessary to serve the meal properly; the little table on wheels makes it very handy for the housewife, so that she will not only need to rise from the table during the meal, but she will be able to serve the meal in the parlour, or the regular table pad, and then spread the tablecloth. The use of centerpiece is optional, and if used should be low and flat, rather than high. A pretty dollie, a small bowl of flowers, or flat dish of ferns are always in good taste. Then lay the silver for each cover, placing two forks, two knives and two teaspoons, a soup spoon when soup is served, at each place. Lay the napkin at the right, folded in a neat square. Next place the water glass at the tip of the knife, and beside the glass place the bread and butter plate.

**MENU**  
Bisque of Clams  
Toasted Crackers  
Radishes  
Garden Onions  
Pot Roast of Beef, Brown Gravy  
Fruetia Potatoes  
Crushed Corn  
Coleslaw  
Chocolate Blanc Manger  
Caledonian Garnish  
Cheese and Crackers  
Coffee

To prepare the meal:  
Clam Bisque  
Mince fine four large clams and drain well. Measure the liquid from the clams and add sufficient milk to measure three cups. Place in saucepan and add:  
One-half cup of sifted flour.  
The ground clams.  
One-half teaspoon of grated onion.  
One teaspoon of finely minced parsley.  
One teaspoon of salt.  
One-quarter teaspoon of white pepper.  
Blend well and cook for ten min-

utes. Strain and then return to saucepan and fold in the white of stiffly beaten egg. Serve in cups, with toasted crackers. To toast the crackers, spread flat in baking pan and place in hot oven until nicely browned.

**French Potatoes**  
Select medium-sized sweet potatoes and cook until just about tender. Drain, and remove the skins. Place one-half cup of good shortening in skillet and when smoking hot, brown in potatoes, then lift to the kettle with the meat, adding the potatoes about fifteen minutes before serving the meal.

**How to Serve This Meal**  
When the food is ready, pour the clam bisque in cups and place the cups on the saucers and place on the table, dusting each cup with paprika after it is in place.  
Lift meat and vegetables on proper dishes and cover with hot dishes and place on serving table. Place dessert on lower spot, with the cheese and crackers and plates for serving.  
Fill the water glasses just before the meal is served and place pitcher filled with water on side table.

The coffee may be made on the side table with percolator or brought to the table and served with the entire meal.  
If the carving is to be done at the table, it is always best to spread a carving cloth before this place, for it is almost impossible not to have little bits of either meat or gristle fly from point of knife. To serve the gravy, you will find a small pitcher much nicer than the old-fashioned gravy boat, and it also takes up less room.

**Just How to Serve**  
Use a tablespoon and fork for serving food to the individual platter, and learn to hold the fork against the spoon in the right hand. Place this silver for serving each individual dish in convenient spot on the table.  
The salad is eaten with the meat, so that no extra silver is needed for it.

**How to Use Silver Laid for Each Cover**  
One teaspoon or bouillon spoon for the clam bisque, use one knife to spread butter and another knife for food.  
Teaspoon for coffee and fork for dessert.

**To Serve Dessert**  
Clear all dishes from table and remove crumbs, refill water glasses and pour additional coffee if required. Place the dessert and the cheese upon the table. The family rise from the table before removing the dessert dishes.

**Queen of Carnival**



**MISS ALICE WINKLER**  
Winner of West Philadelphia popularity contest, who received diamond ring as crowning event of carnival given by Spanish-American War veterans

**CROWNED W. PHILA. QUEEN**

Miss Alice Winkler is Winner of Popularity Contest  
Miss Alice Winkler, 16 South Redfield street, is the crowned queen of West Philadelphia. The royal diadem was placed on her head Saturday night as the climax to the carnival of the Spanish-American War Veterans at Sixtieth and Ludlow streets.  
The contest was for popularity, and there were many contestants. Miss Winkler received a diamond ring as a prize, in addition to reigning for a brief period over the merry-making. The contest began two weeks ago.

**SHOOTS HERSELF IN LEG**

Woman Wounded When Revolver is Discharged Accidentally  
Mrs. Lillian Thomas, thirty-two years old, 1037 Mount Ephraim avenue, Camden, accidentally shot herself in the right leg early this morning with a revolver she had obtained for self-protection in the absence of her husband, who is a night watchman. She was taken to the Cooper Hospital. Her condition is not serious.  
Mrs. Thomas was examining the revolver, she says, when it went off.

**LAW STUDENTS, ON HIKE, SLEEP IN POLICE STATION**

Their Custom to Ask Chief's Hospitality in Each Town, They Say  
Two young men, dressed in road-worn army uniforms, appeared at the Central Police Station last night and requested from Sergeant Johnson the gratuity of a night's lodging. They said they were W. Jeff Adams and Franklin T. Barrett, both twenty and from Baltimore. They are, they said, seniors in the University of Maryland law school and were walking to Chicago via New York and Detroit, which journey they expected to finish by the opening of the term on September 18.  
It was their custom, they said, to ask hospitality of the chief of police at whatever town they happened to find themselves in. The previous night had been spent in a cell in Atlantic City with four very drunken men.  
"This," said the sergeant, "is not much of a hotel either, but you're welcome to its best."  
He assigned them to cell No. 1. After a long sleep and hearty breakfast this morning the undergraduates' wayfarers set off in the direction of Trenton.

**DR. GIBBONS INJURED**

Saves Family by Dropping Them From Runaway Auto

Lake Placid, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Dr. Herbert Adams Gibbons, author of Princeton, N. J., yesterday saved his wife and three children, but was himself injured in a runaway automobile crash near here.  
Dr. Gibbons and his family were touring and stopped to ask directions. The chauffeur had barely left his seat when the car started down a steep grade.  
Unable to reach the brakes, Dr. Gibbons dropped, one by one, over the side of the rapidly moving car his wife and three children, Christina, thirteen years old; Lloyd, eleven, and Mimi, nine.  
He had just deposited Mimi in the roadway when the machine crashed into a boulder. Dr. Gibbons received a sprained shoulder and lacerations. Mrs. Gibbons and the children were slightly bruised.

**LEGACY FROM STRANGER**

Carlisle Woman Bequeathed \$15,000 by Man She Met on Train  
Carlisle, Pa., Aug. 28.—A casual acquaintance of less than an hour on a train between Chambersburg and Carlisle last October has resulted in Mrs. Harry Myers falling heir to \$15,000.  
A letter from Jersey City contained the information that Dr. Harry Wolfinger, of New Jersey, whom she met on the train, died last month and left Mrs. Myers the legacy. Mrs. Myers is the mother of fifteen children.

**Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store**

**New Arrivals in the Early Autumn Sale of Women's Cloth and Silk Frocks**  
*Fashionable Cloth Models for Street and Daytime Wear Interestingly Priced \$11.50, \$13.50, \$15 and \$25*



This splendid Sale started with more than 1000 new Autumn frocks, and new fashions arriving fresh from the hands of the designers keep the number well up to the original figure.  
Tomorrow we shall specialize in cloth frocks, realizing the need of many women for just such smart, moderately-priced dresses as these for late vacation, Autumn street and all-season wear.  
Isn't it wonderful to know one can secure an Autumn frock at such interestingly low prices? As every frock offered in the Sale is absolutely new, it would be unfair to attempt a comparison of values, but our experience has taught us that dresses like these are ordinarily much more expensive.  
\$11.50 for smart navy blue Poret twill Redingote model, youthfully trimmed with brilliant crimson underfacings and lacquered braid. Sizes 14 to 18 years.  
\$13.50 for a dark brown Poret twill frock, reflecting the season's vogue for dignified simplicity in its straight, long lines and simple braid trimming. Sizes 36 to 42.  
(Down Stairs Store, Market)

**Early Sale of Winter Coats Goes Splendidly Forward!**

**New Top Coats and Sports Coats Are Welcome Arrivals at \$10.75, \$16.75, \$25, \$27.50 and \$42.50**

Just the sorts of coats women are asking about for everyday, knockabout wear. Splendidly big and warm and serviceable, and with new features of line and finish which distinguish them from any we have seen heretofore. It would be practically impossible to tell all their good points at these very moderate prices.  
At \$10.75 there are smart plaid-back tweeds in nut brown colorings. They'll give no end of service!  
At \$16.50 there are knockabout models of invisible plaid coatings, yoke and sleeve lined. Also silk-lined sports coats in nut brown, with cut-in breast and patch side pockets.  
At \$16.75 there are exceptionally fine tan chin-chilla cloth coats, silk lined throughout, belted and with leather buttons.  
At \$25 there are hand-tailored models of herring-bone tweed, with the new wide sleeves and clever new scarf collars. Silk lined to the waist.  
At \$27.50 there are luxurious bolivia coats in dark brown and blue, with wide sleeves and silk stitchery trimming. Silk lined.  
At \$42.50 there are handsome coats of genuine camel's hair in the favorite tan shade, beautifully silk lined.  
(Down Stairs Store, Market)

**Specially-Arranged Sale of Women's House Dresses, \$1.55**



Pretty, clean-looking, housewifely dresses of exceptionally nice quality striped or checked gingham.  
Every one fresh and crisply new, considerably more attractive in style and better in quality than any we have had to offer recently at about this price.  
Full-cut dresses with good, deep hems, admirable as to finishing touches. Big capacious pockets and perky sashes. Trimmed with novelty white voile, as the picture shows, with either Peter Pan or rolling collars and vestees. Elbow sleeves. There are four distinct patterns and several colors in each pattern. All sizes to 46.  
(Down Stairs Store, Market)

**Final Clearaway!**

**Women's Summer Dresses Marked Down to \$2**

Every popular-priced Summer tub frock must go at this one exceedingly attractive price.  
Figured and dotted voiles that were a third more, now \$2.  
Finer voiles and dotted Swisses that were more than double, now \$2.  
Pretty figured voile dresses in extra-large sizes that were more than double, now \$2.  
Imported and domestic gingham in clean-looking checks and plaids that were a third more and to twice as much, now \$2.  
Serviceable frocks of striped tub silk that were more than double, now \$2.  
All these dresses show signs of handling, but a cursory pressing will make them fresh and new once more. Practically all sizes from 16 years to 46 in the groups, but not every size in each style, of course.  
(Down Stairs Store, Market)

**Central Aisle**

**Fashionable New Bags of Duvetyn and Moire, \$3**

Prettily made, attractively lined and daintily finished, these bags are among the season's smartest accessories.  
Duvetyn in beaver or toast. Striped moire taffeta in navy or black. Filled on metal frames. Silken cords and tassels.

**Step-in Chemises of Soft Nainsook, \$1**

Narrow lace edging across the top and at the side openings is the only trimming needed for such beautifully soft, silky nainsook.  
Cut long and full in a wide range of sizes.  
(Central Aisle)

**Small Girls' Play Frocks, \$1.10 and \$1.65**

The budget for the children's clothes doesn't seem half so small when one sees what pretty and serviceable gingham and chambray dresses may be purchased for \$1.10 and \$1.65. Fresh, new-looking things, well finished and cleverly trimmed.  
At \$1.10, checked gingham and plain-color chambray frocks trimmed with white linene or contrasting colors. Full skirts and belted waists. Pink, green, maize, blue and white and red and white.  
At \$1.65, plain-color chambray dresses with gay animal pockets and collars in contrasting colors. Full skirts hung from a yoke. Blue, maize, pink and green.  
Sizes 2 to 6 years.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

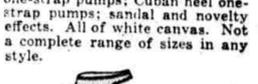
**Season-End Clearaway of Women's and Children's Shoes**

Decided price-drops in two groups of women's shoes.



**Women's Patent Leather One-Eyelet Ties, Now 75c**  
Good-looking patent leather street and dress shoes. Welting soles and low heels. Limited number in small sizes only.

**800 Pair Women's White Summer Shoes, Now \$1.75**  
Styles which have been popular all season. Rounded toe, low heel, one-strap pumps; Cuban heel one-strap pumps; sandals and novelty effects. All of white canvas. Not a complete range of sizes in any style.

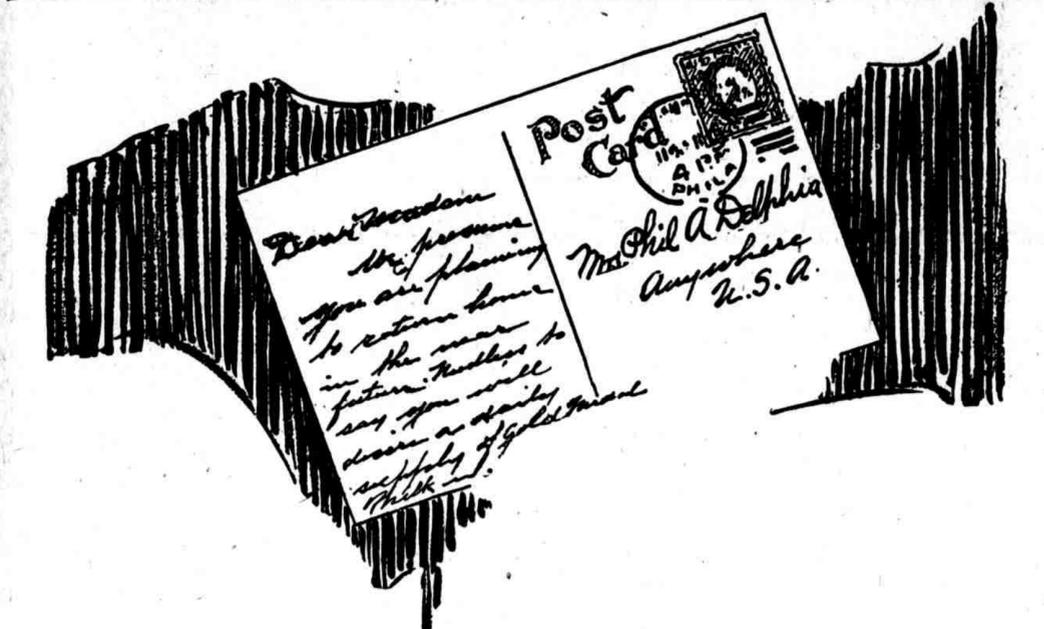


**Children's Low Shoes, Now \$1.40**  
Tan Mary Jane pumps in a broken line of sizes 9 to 1. Sturdy tan leather sandals and play shoes, sizes 7 1/2 and 8 and 13 to 2.  
(Down Stairs Store, Chestnut)

**Children's Cotton Stockings, 12 1/2c**  
Just out of the cases are black and cordovan ribbed cotton stockings that shape themselves comfortably to youngsters' chubby legs. First quality, sizes 6 to 9 1/2.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)

**Clearaway of Fine Corsets Half Price—\$1.50 to \$7.50**

One seldom finds Modart, Gossard, Mavis, Finesse and other such well-known makes of corsets at the prices offered in this end-of-the-season clearaway. Back and front lace corsets, high bust or topless, long or medium skirts in the lot. Size assortments are broken, and some show signs of handling, but they are very worth-while buying. Sizes 24 to 36.  
(Down Stairs Store, Central)



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